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# Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., October 5, 1887.

Hon. Daniel M. Fox,

Supt. U. S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

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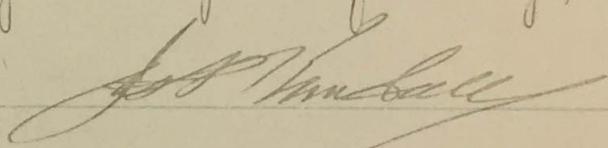
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Very respectfully,



J. P. Nicolay  
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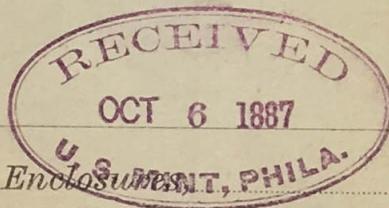
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James P. Kimball  
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